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THE AMERICAN PLAY MONEY SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

WELCOME to our fifth issue! There are some great articles inside thanks to several authors. As usual, the editor thanks all for their submissions and continues to encourage each member to send an article and a free classified ad for every issue.

AND once again there are "freebies" included thanks to John Dalton (Confederate notes), Steve Alpert (fabric note and Mad Money), and, as usual, a surprise. Steve is the editor of *Token Topics*, the California Token Collectors' Newsletter, and he recently gave us coverage in the March newsletter. We always appreciate exposure of APMS to other collectors and potential members.



Art work by Tom Higgins

A recent *Coin World* article recognized one of our members for his achievement in the Central States Numismatic Society (CSNS). Akio Lis won The Daniel Parker Literary Award for Best Article by a Young Numismatist for his article "*Topical Coin Collection: Flightless Birds on Coins and Currency*," published in the winter 1996 issue. You will recall that Akio had two articles in issue number three of *Fun Money*. Congratulations and keep up the great work!

COIN *World* also mentioned that at the same CSNS meeting, the Young Numismatists received \$200 worth of "CSNS Bucks" for bidding on items at the convention. These were pictured in the article and would make nice additions to most play money collections. Anyone have any extras to trade?

WE hope everyone has an enjoyable summer and that the play money hunting is productive! More great stories to come in the September issue of *Fun Money*!

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MEETINGS

One per year in a central location. We would appreciate comments on where and when to have our first meeting. With members in all parts of the country it is impossible to accommodate everyone; however, we will have the meeting in a location that will benefit the most people.

NEWSLETTER ADS

Each APMS member is encouraged to send a free ad of up to five lines for each issue of *FUN MONEY*. Ads will not be run continuously, so please send a new ad each time. Business card ads (1/8 page) for four issues are \$6.00.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

by Barbara Phillips

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Income from dues and back issues.....	\$ 32.00
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AMERICA'S GREATEST LUCKY BUCKS PLAY MONEY

BY JANE SEARS

LUCKY BUCKS

PLAY MONEY



COME ON, KIDS

TREAT YOURSELF TO HEAPS OF NEW FUN - BEGIN TO PILE UP YOUR FORTUNE OF PLAY MONEY. E.C. SEGAR WHO DRAWS FUNNY OLD POPEYE THOUGHT UP THIS SWELL IDEA OF LUCKY BUCKS. AND THIS IS THE FIRST ISSUE FOR YOU. CUT THEM OUT AND YOUR FUN BEGINS.



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I HAVE BEEN COLLECTING "LUCKY BUCKS" PLAY MONEY FOR OVER 10 YEARS. WITH OVER 800 IN MY COLLECTION, THEY ARE MY FAVORITE OF ALL MY PLAY MONIES.

LET ME INTRODUCE YOU TO "LUCKY BUCKS" PLAY MONEY. THE GREAT DEPRESSION OF THE 1930'S INSPIRED E.C. SEGAR, POPEYE'S CREATOR TO INVENT "LUCKY BUCKS" PLAY MONEY. MONEY WAS SCARE AND CHILDREN'S TOYS WERE NOT IN THE FAMILY BUDGET. THE SUNDAY NEWSPAPER LOOKED OUT FOR THE CHILDREN OF THAT DAY. IN THE COLORED SUNDAY SECTION THEY FEATURED PAPER DOLLS, COMIC TRADING STAMPS. AND "LUCKY BUCKS" COMIC PLAY MONEY. CHILDREN WERE ENCOURAGED TO CUT OUT, COLLECT AND USE THE PLAY BILLS IN THEIR PLAYFUL ACTIVITIES. THE NEWSPAPER USED COMIC CHARACTERS TO SHOW THE KIDS PLAYING STORE, AT SIDE SHOWS AND NEIGHBOR CIRCUS.



COMIC TRADING STAMPS



SAVE THE
TOOTS AND
CASPER
COMIC
CUT-OUTS
EACH WEEK!

HERE IS UNCLE ABNER'S SWEETIE, STELLA CLINKER! HER CLOTHES WILL BE PRINTED NEXT WEEK!

AND BY SPECIAL REQUEST, HERE IS JOY PAN!

HER WARDROBE WILL ALSO BE PRINTED NEXT WEEK!



SEND BACK ON DOTTED LINE

JIMMY MURPHY



STELLA CLINKER

SEND BACK ON DOTTED LINE

JIMMY MURPHY

DORIS HOPE, GLENDALE, CALIF., HAS 286 COMIC STAMPS!

HOW MANY HAVE YOU?



PAPER DOLLS

LUCKY BUCKS



PINS ARE OUT!
YOU USED TO BE ABLE TO GET INTO THE NEIGHBORHOOD CIRCUS OR SIDESHOW WITH PINS. THOSE DAYS ARE GONE FOREVER. NOW YOU NEED THE PLAY MONEY INVENTED BY E.C. SEGAR, POPEYE'S CREATOR. LUCKY BUCKS COST YOU NOTHING! JUST CUT THEM OUT OF THIS PAGE



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LUCKY BUCKS

"RIGHT THIS WAY, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, FOR THE BEST TIME YOU'VE EVER HAD... SEE ALL THE FUNNY FOLKS OF THE COMIC SECTION... GET YOUR WEEKLY ALLOWANCE OF PLAY MONEY... BRING YOUR OWN SCISSORS AND HELP YOURSELF TO THE LUCKY BUCKS RIGHT IN FRONT OF YOUR EYES!"

THE NEWSPAPERS WOULD EXCITE THE KIDS BY RUNNING THESE FILLERS PROMOTING "LUCKY BUCKS" PLAY MONEY



GET YOUR FUN WITH LUCKY BUCKS! YOUR PLAYMATES ALL HAVE POCKETS FULL OF THE NEW PLAY MONEY. YOURS SHOULD BE, TOO. COLLECTING LUCKY BUCKS IS THE ONLY WAY YOU CAN BE SURE YOU WON'T BE LOOKING THROUGH THE KNOT HOLE WHILE THE GANG PAID ITS WAY INSIDE. GET OUT THE SHEARS! CUT OUT THESE LUCKY BUCKS. WATCH FOR MORE NEXT WEEK!

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WATCH THE PLAY MONEY GROW!
THOSE LUCKY BUCKS PILE UP FAST. YOU CAN FIGURE OUT FOR YOURSELF HOW LONG IT WILL TAKE YOU TO COLLECT A BANKROLL BIG ENOUGH TO CHOKA COW! THERE WILL BE MORE OF THEM IN THIS SPACE NEXT WEEK. YOU'LL WANT ALL YOU CAN GET SO YOU CAN TAKE PART IN THE FUN WHEN PLAY MONEY IS BEING SPENT BY YOUR FRIENDS.

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THE PLAY MONEY MINT IS WORKING OVERTIME TO KEEP UP WITH THE DEMAND FOR LUCKY BUCKS. MILLIONS OF BOYS AND GIRLS NOW ARE CARRYING AROUND BIG ROLLS TO USE IN THEIR PLAY HOURS AND ARE GETTING MORE FUN THAN EVER BEFORE. HOW ABOUT YOU? BEGINNING NEXT WEEK LUCKY BUCKS WILL ALSO BE PUBLISHED IN OTHER PAGES OF THE COLOR COMIC SECTION. WATCH FOR THEM... CUT THEM OUT... ADD THEM TO YOUR ROLL!

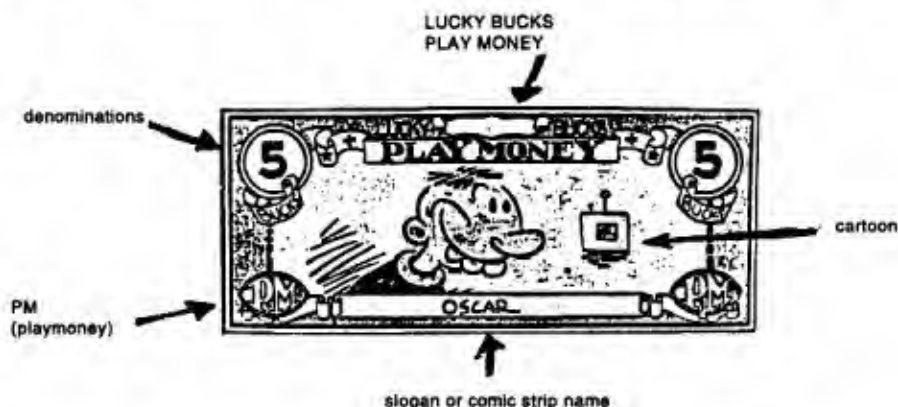
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MY EARLIEST "LUCKY BUCKS" IS JULY 1932. I BELIEVE THEY STARTED IN THE SUMMER OF 32 AND CONTINUED THROUGH 1933. THERE ARE A FEW THAT APPEARED IN THE 1940'S, BUT NOT AS ELABORATE AS 32/33.



THE "LUCKY BUCKS" PLAY MONEY EACH HAD A DIFFERENT COMIC PICTURE IN THE MIDDLE, "LUCKY BUCKS" PLAY MONEY AT THE CENTER TOP, A SLOGAN OR COMIC STRIP NAME AT THE CENTER BOTTOM, DENOMINATION AT THE TOP 2 CORNERS AND PM (PLAY MONEY) AT THE BOTTOM 2 CORNERS.



THE DENOMINATIONS I HAVE SEEN ARE 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 13, 20, 25, 50, 100, 500, 1000, 2000, 3000, AND 5000.

MOST PLAY MONIES WERE COLORED, DEPENDING ON THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER WHICH PUBLISHED IT.

POPULAR COMICS OF 1932-33 THAT FEATURED "LUCKY BUCKS" WERE BLONDIE, BRINGING UP FATHER, THIMBLE THEATRE (POPEYE), MICKEY MOUSE, TOONERVILLE FOLKS, POLLY AND HER PALS, TOOTS AND CASPER, TILLIE THE TOILER, KATZENJAMMER KIDS, DUMB DORA, MOON MULLINS, BARNEY GOOGLE, WINNIE WINKLE, TIM TYLER'S LUCK, LITTLE BROTHER, "JUST KIDS", DAVE'S DELICATESSEN, PETE'S PUP, MISTER JACK, LITTLE JIMMY, ELMER, BOOB MCNUIT, COUNT SCREWLOOSE, FELIX THE CAT, SKIPPY, MUTT AND JEFF, JANE ARDEN, LITTLE JOE, THE KID SISTER, AND OTHERS.

"LUCKY BUCKS" PLAY MONEY AVERAGE IN SIZE ABOUT 4 1/4" X 2", SOMETIMES 3" X 1 1/2". BOTTOM "LUCKY BUCKS" MEASURE 1" X 3 1/4". THESE BOTTOM STRIPS CONTAINED 3 BUCKS AND MEASURED 1 1/4" X 11 1/2". THEY WERE NOT AS FANCY AS THE LARGER ONES.



"LUCKY BUCKS" APPEARED IN THE COMIC SECTION AS SINGLES, DOUBLES AND TRIPLES. SPECIAL HALF-PAGE BLOCKS CONTAINED 12 BILLS (MEASURING 9" X 13 1/2"). SOMETIMES THE COMIC STRIP HEADLINER CARRIED A BILL. COMIC TRADING STAMPS, SLOGANS AND CARTOON CHARACTERS SOMETIMES WERE OFF TO THE SIDE OF THE BILLS. EVEN THE ACTUAL CARTOON STRIP PLAYED UP THE COLLECTING AND USING "LUCKY BUCKS" PLAY MONEY.



KIDS—HERE'S THE GREATEST FUN YOU CAN GET! SO WHEN YOU HAVE SOME LUCKY BUCKS FOR EVERYONE TO CUT OUT, SNIP AND TRADE... TALK HAPPY AND SHARE WITH ONE BUCK BILL OF MURDER—PETE AND PUP... BUT LATER ON THE BIG BUCKS COME, WITH VALUES GOING UP, 2-BUCK BILLS, AND 5-BUCK BILLS, AND TENS AND EVEN TWENTIES. PETE SAYS THEY'LL MAKE THE BIGGEST FLY YEA EVERY EIGHTY-SIXTH.



HERE'S THE FIRST OF THE TOOTS AND CASPER "LUCKY BUCKS" FOR THE KIDDIES! A FIVE-BUCK BILL! CUT THEM OUT EACH WEEK AND USE THEM AS "COMIC PLAY MONEY" IN GAMES LIKE PLAYING STORE, CIRCUS, ETC.



Play Money—Clip It for Your Bank Roll





HERE IS A SAMPLE OF THE LUCKY BUCK COMIC PLAY MONEY STRIPS THAT APPEARED IN THE 1940 PAPERS.



"LUCKY BUCKS" WERE PRINTED BY THE MILLIONS ALL ACROSS THE COUNTRY AND APPEARED IN MANY LOCAL NEWSPAPERS. AS TIME WOULD HAVE IT, MOST "LUCKY BUCKS" WERE TOSSED IN THE TRASH.



LUCKY BUCKS

COME ON, BOYS AND GIRLS! CUT IN ON A PLAY MONEY FORTUNE! GET OUT THE SHEARS AND HELP YOURSELF TO THE LUCKY BUCKS YOU SEE HERE. ALL YOUR PLAYMATES WILL BE CARRYING THEM... DON'T BE LEFT OUT OF THE FUN! YOU CAN USE LUCKY BUCKS IN A HUNDRED WAYS THAT WILL MAKE PLAY MORE FUN THAN EVER!

A CLOSE LOOK AT RED GOOSE PREMIUM MONEY®

By C. R. Clark

The Fiber Pieces

Red Goose Premium Money was made of fiber during the 1940's when metal was needed to build ships, airplanes and other military equipment during World War II. The fiber tokens apparently were made from the same dies used previously to make bronze and aluminum pieces. Since descriptions of these pieces were given in the first two installments in December and March issues of **FUN MONEY**, only the type(s) of obverse and reverse will be given, with one exception. The obverse of the Brown Fiber 50 is a new variety, so it is described in full as Brown Fiber Type 1A(2). *An aluminum token of this type may exist.*

This list describes the red, blue, gray, brown and green fiber pieces in my collection. Fiber tokens may have weak or missing letters and outlines as found on some metal Red Goose Premium Money. We also find weak or missing denticles on one or both sides of fiber pieces. We do not list these minor errors, but we do need complete descriptions and photocopies of the obverses and reverses of all fiber token denominations or varieties that are not in the following list.

The Red Fiber Pieces

Red fiber tokens are found in many shades from light red to maroon. All of these pieces will be called "red fiber" in this list, however, some collectors also are saving a second set of the darker pieces. Maroon 50 and 1⁰⁰ tokens are listed in the catalogue, Play Money of American Children by Richard F. Clothier.

The red fiber 50 and 1⁰⁰ pieces were found more frequently than smaller red fiber denominations or other colored fiber pieces, but small groups of several colored pieces were noticed through the years...before I started saving the Red Goose varieties. It is not possible to establish a rarity rating for Red Goose money from the small sampling that we have studied.

Approximate measures for the diameters of fiber pieces are as follows: 5⁰⁰ (25mm); 1⁰⁰ (28mm); 50 (25mm); 25 (22,5mm); 10 (16mm); 5 (20mm). No red fiber 5⁰⁰ piece is presently known.



Red Fiber 1⁰⁰, Type 1A(3)



Red Fiber 5, Type 1(A)1

Red Goose Premium Money - The Red Fiber Pieces (continued)

- Red Fiber 1⁰⁰ -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 1⁰⁰, Type 1A(3), except a 28mm diameter
- Red Fiber 50 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 50, Type 1A(1)
- Red Fiber 25 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 25, Type 1A(1)
- Red Fiber 10 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 10, Type 1A(1)
- Red Fiber 5 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 5, Type 1A(1)

The Blue Fiber Pieces



The obverse and reverse of each blue fiber token pictured above is Type 1A.

- Blue Fiber 5⁰⁰ -Obverse and Reverse same as Bronze 5⁰⁰, Type 1A(1)
- Blue Fiber 1⁰⁰ -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 1⁰⁰, Type 1A(3), except a 28mm diameter
- Blue Fiber 50 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 50, Type 1A(1)
- Blue Fiber 25 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 25, Type 1A(1)
- Blue Fiber 10 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 10, Type 1A(1)



All pictures of the fiber Red Goose Premium Money in this section of the catalogue were taken at 150 percent of the actual size.

The Gray Fiber Pieces



Gray Fiber 1⁰⁰, Type 1A



Gray Fiber 5, Type 1A

Gray Fiber 5⁰⁰ -Obverse and Reverse same as Bronze 5⁰⁰, Type 1A(1)

Gray Fiber 1⁰⁰ -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 1⁰⁰, Type 1A(1)

Gray Fiber 5 -Obverse same as Aluminum 5, Type 1A(1)

-Reverse same as Aluminum 5, Type 1A(2)...no dot before HALF and no dot after feet

The Brown Fiber Pieces

The tokens inspected for inclusion in this list of brown fiber pieces varied in color from dark brown to a lighter brown with a slightly reddish tint. All appeared to be brown when placed next to a red fiber piece, so four denominations are presently listed. Only the brown fiber 25 is listed in the catalogue, Play Money For American Children, by Richard Clothier.



Brown Fiber 1⁰⁰, Type 1A

Brown Fiber 50, Type 1A

Brown Fiber 1⁰⁰ -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 1⁰⁰, Type 1A(1)

Brown Fiber 50 -Obverse: small 50, squared lettering, different from Aluminum 50, Type 1A(1) with 50 positioned slightly further to the left; 0 in 50 almost 3mm from EY of MONEY; 5 closer to RE of PREMIUM; 5 further from 0 in 50; round curve at upper left edge of 5 instead of an extended line segment, Type 1A(2)

-Reverse: same as reverse of Aluminum 50, Type 1A(1)

Red Goose Premium Money - The Brown Fiber Pieces (continued)



Brown Fiber 10, Type 1A

Brown Fiber 25 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 25, Type 1A(1)

Brown Fiber 10 -Obverse and Reverse same as Aluminum 10, Type 2A(1)

The Green Fiber Pieces

The green fiber 5⁰⁰ piece, pictured below, is the only denomination that I have seen in this color. Any additional information about the green fiber Red Goose tokens will be appreciated.



Green Fiber 5⁰⁰, Type 1A

Green Fiber 5⁰⁰ -Obverse and Reverse same as Bronze 5⁰⁰, Type 1A(1)



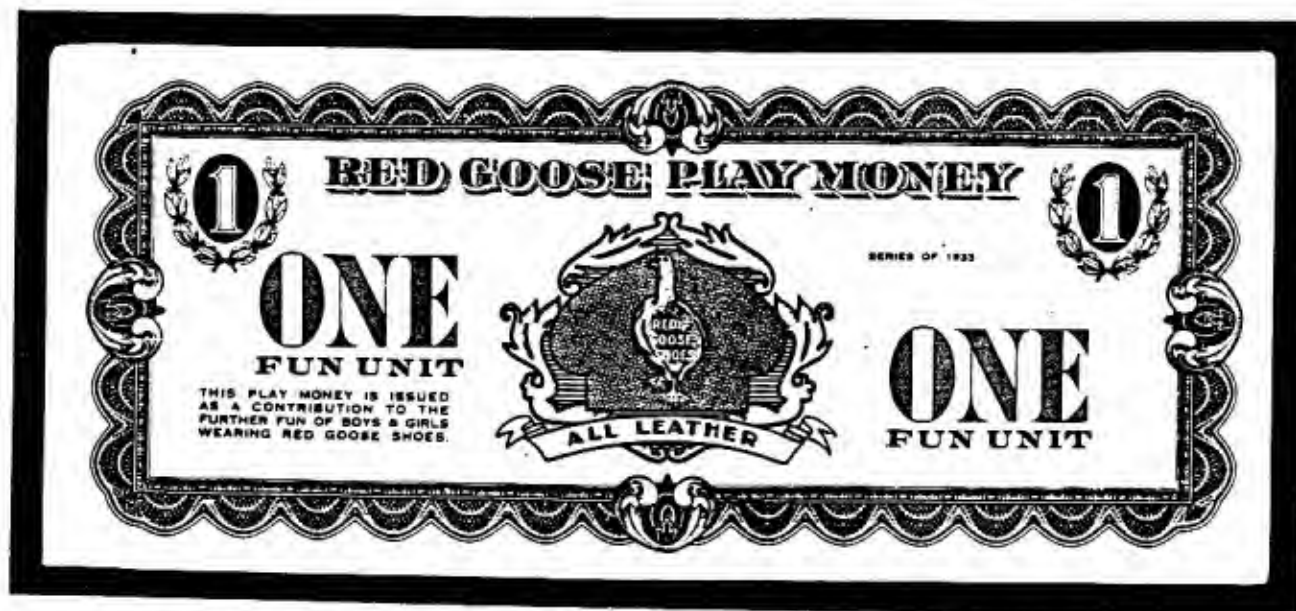
Several American Play Money Society members have been very helpful with this Red Goose project, especially Jack and Barbara Phillips, Benj. Fauver, Bob Clark, Don Kolkman, Randy Partin and Bob Nolan. We were able to improve some photocopies by using tokens in uncirculated or almost uncirculated condition. And in some cases, I was able to see more than one example of a token, making it possible to write better descriptions for the supplement of new varieties which will be published later. I appreciate all of the help and the trades.

We believe there are many unlisted varieties of bronze or fiber 5⁰⁰ and aluminum or fiber 1⁰⁰, 50, 25, 10 and 5 pieces of Red Goose Premium Money. Also, there are two Presidential / Red Goose pieces which we have not seen...the 23rd President, Benjamin Harrison and 32nd President, Franklin D. Roosevelt. At least one variety of each of the other thirty presidential pieces has been pictured. We are still working on the descriptions and varieties which we plan to publish in the next issue of **FUN MONEY**. (C. R.Clark)

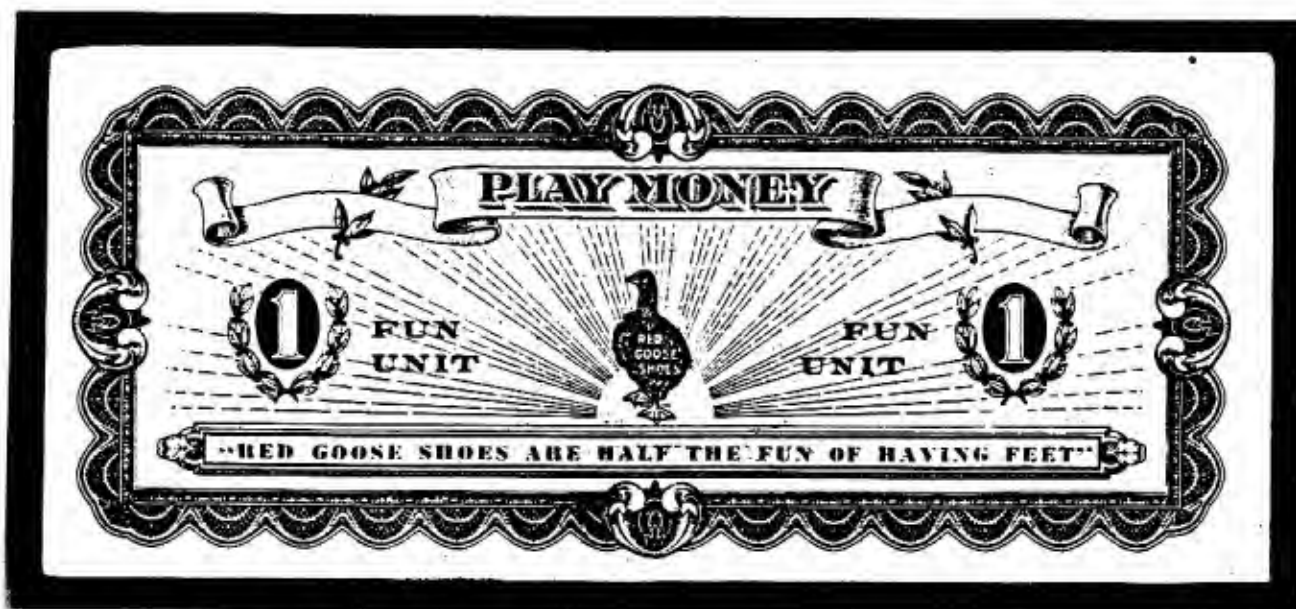
RED GOOSE PLAY MONEY®

By C. R. Clark

A colorful set of Red Goose Play Money, dated 1933, has a decorative border on both sides and shows workmanship of a higher quality than we generally see for modern sets. Bills are presently known in 1, 5, 10, 20 and 100 Fun Units.



The attractive One Fun Unit obverse, pictured above in actual size, has a dark green border and dark green print, except the goose at the center which is red.



The reverse has a dark green border with interior print in both green and red. The expression, "RED GOOSE SHOES ARE HALF THE FUN OF HAVING FEET," is printed in red. Also, the goose and rays extending toward the border from the goose are red. Everything else is printed in dark green ink.





Pictures of the 5, 10 and 20 Fun Units bills are reduced to 75% of actual size.
The bills are printed on white paper and measure 162 by 70 millimeters.

There is a big contrast in the color of bills in this set. All bills have "RED GOOSE SHOES ARE HALF THE FUN OF HAVING FEET," printed in red and a red goose on both sides with red rays extending from the goose on the reverse of each bill. The borders and other printing are as follows: 5 FUN UNITS (Brown); 10 FUN UNITS (Purple); 20 FUN UNITS (Slate or dark gray); 100 FUN UNITS (Orange).

These are the only Red Goose Play Money denominations presently known, but there may be a 50 FUN UNITS bill, or others, which I have not seen. If you have any different Red Goose bills in your collection, please send a good photocopy of each side at actual size to help complete the catalogue.

New Members

Welcome to the following new members of the American Play Money Society

John M. Barnes, #32, P.O. Box 5152, Sherman Oaks, CA 91413-5152

Ronnie Johnnies, #33, P.O. Box 282, Archie, MO 64725

EXPOSING A LIBERTY HEAD NON-PLAY COIN

(Things are not always as they seem or you wish they were)
by R.W. Colbert



While browsing at a flea market near Hampton, Georgia recently, the above piece, shining brightly in the noon-day sun, caught my eye. My first thought was this surely must be the ultimate whopper-size play coin ever made or certainly rank a close second! After a closer examining, boy, was I surprised when I turned the item over to find it was made for something unrelated to play money—would you believe a personal RADIO! The radio comes equipped with a neck lanyard and plug-in for a set of ear speakers.

The obverse has a Liberty head facing left and inscription "E GOTHAMUS UNUM" in raised letters. Several incuse grooves resembling an "A" turned sideways appear as a counterstamp of sorts. Several strange & unfamiliar hieroglyphics-type markings appear randomly imbedded around the obverse design. (These symbols might be related to Batman or have meaning that is known to readers of DC Comics.)

The reverse is marked "©1995 MICRO GAMES / OF AMERICA / ALL RIGHTS RESERVED / NORTH HILLS, CA 91343 / MADE IN CHINA / ©1995 DC COMICS" (all in small raised letters in six lines).

A physical description follows: Round, Obverse chrome-plated plastic, 74.0 mm in diameter. Edge is 9.8 mm thick. The reverse is made of black plastic. A small silver-color decal affixed to the edge reads "MADE IN CHINA / ©1995 DC Comics" (black lettering in two lines). I'm at a loss in explaining how the radio may be distributed, sold or what one may cost. Maybe other unusual or similar items that resemble a play coin are out there, waiting to be discovered and exposed as a non-play coin.

RECENT FIND

by Jack Phillips

Any ideas on where this Pinky Bill came from? It was found by itself at a toy show and the seller



had no idea of its origin. It is copyrighted by NBC, dated 1955, and is green on white (shown actual size). Could it be from a Pinky Lee game? **FM**

CLASSIFIED ADS

BRYAN MONEY WANTED: I will buy or trade for individual pieces or entire collections--what do you have? Give me a try! I also collect all Florida tokens. E-mail jrat1947@aol.com. Steve Ratliff, 3450 Riverview Drive, Pace, FL 32571-8602. Phone (904) 994-4961.

TRADE/SELL list of play money coins and paper sent free in exchange for yours. Randy Partin, 1314 Keystone Pointe, Auburndale, FL 33823. (941) 965-2947.

ONCE it was real money; now it's Russian play money. Set of five different colored, large Russian notes. \$2.50 a set. Thanks! Dalton, P.O. Box 125, Saint Inigoes, MD 20684.

TRADE/SELL: I have several hundred different pieces of play money, both coin and currency, to trade for pieces I need. Send your list of trade items or send SASE for my list. Jack Phillips, 2044 Pine Lake Trail, Arab, AL 35016.

HAVE POPSICLE movie star tokens to trade for Popsicle tokens I don't have or for play money tokens of equal value. George Hallstein, 164 Rural Grove Rd., Sprakers, NY 12166.

GAME PLAY MONEY similar to Monopoly. 50 different notes for \$4.00 postpaid. Good Starter set for a beginner. E.B. Scott, 309 Duke, Garland, TX 75043.

MY TOKEN AND MEDAL Mail Bid Sales include play money. Request a copy of my next sale catalogue if you are not on my mailing list. Steve Alpert, P.O. Box 66331, Los Angeles, CA 90066.

DOG LICENSE TAGS. If you don't read PAW PRINTS you don't know dog license tags. Complimentary copy on request. Bill Bone, Editor PAW PRINTS, 928 S.R. 2206, Clinton, KY 42031.

TRADE my "25" different pieces of play money for your "25" different. Sam Petry, P.O. Box 167, St. John, IN 46373.

SEND in your free ad today! Every member put a free ad in each issue of *FUN MONEY*.

IS IT PLAY MONEY?

by Benj Fauver

There are at least four different denominations of the A. Flanagan Co. Toy Money; \$20, \$10, \$5, and \$2 1/2. Anyone have others or know any history on this company?

